RESOLUTION NO.: 12-64

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, URGING THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE AND GOVERNOR RICK SCOTT TO CONTINUE FUNDING THE CENTRAL ACCESS CUSTOMER SERVICE **CENTER** ("CENTRAL SERVICE CENTER") OF THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES LOCATED AT 1490 NORTHWEST AVENUE, 27 MIAMI, FLORIDA.

WHEREAS, the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Hialeah urge the Florida Legislature and Governor Rick Scott to continue funding the Central Access Customer Service Center ("Central Service Center") of the Florida Department of Children and Families located at 1490 NW 27th Avenue, Miami, Florida; and

WHEREAS, the Central Service Center faces the threat of having all of its funding eliminated; and

WHEREAS, the Central Service Center provides essential assistance to the residents of the City of Miami, by providing them with enhanced access to services such as food assistance for low-income individuals and families, temporary cash assistance for families with minor, dependent children and pregnant women in their last trimester, and Medicaid for low-income individuals; and

WHEREAS, the Central Service Center is able to provide enhanced access to these services through a combination of Department staff and communication providers; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, THAT:

Section 1. The foregoing facts and recitations contained in the preamble of this resolution are hereby adopted and incorporated by reference as if fully set forth herein.

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Section 2. The Mayor and the City Council of the City of Hialeah, Florida urge the Florida Legislature and Governor Rick Scott to continue funding the Central Service Center located at 1490 NW 27th Avenue, Miami, Florida.

	PASSED AND ADOPTED this 22nd day of May , 2012. Isis Garcia Carrinez Council President
Attest:	Approved on the 24 day of May, 2012

David Concepcion, City Clerk

Mayor Carlos Hernandez

Approved as to legal sufficiency and form:

William M. Grodnick, City Attorney

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Resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote with Councilmembers, Caragol, Casals-Muñoz, Cue-Fuente, Garcia-Martinez, Gonzalez, Hernandez and Lozano voting "Yes".